

Title (en)  
ULTRASONOGRAM GENERATION METHOD

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VERFAHREN ZUR ERZEUGUNG EINES ULTRASONOGRAMMS

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PROCEDE DE REALISATION D'ECHOGRAMMES

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[origin: EP1625829A1] An ultrasonic image generating method for generating an ultrasonic image based on ultrasonic echo data obtained by transmitting/receiving ultrasonic waves to/from an inspection object, according to the present invention, includes reference position setting steps for determining the reference position on each image with respect to a plurality of consecutive two-dimensional tomograms; correction steps for obtaining regular and consecutive two-dimensional tomograms by correcting irregularity of the reference position of each of the two-dimensional tomograms determined by the reference position setting steps; and an ultrasonic image generating step for generating the ultrasonic images based on the regular and consecutive two-dimensional tomograms corrected by the correction steps.

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